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they are gravitating to the possession of the power of the Federal Government. They will attain in the Centennial year.

The Charlotte *Observer* says "the result of the election in Orange to fill the vacancy in the Convention occasioned by the death of the Hon. W. A. Graham, is exceedingly gratifying for a number of reasons. The first and foremost is that it is a direct endorsement of the action of the Democrats so far in the Constitutional Convention, by the people of Orange. When we reflect that Major Patterson's majority (703) is double that given that spotless statesman, Hon. W. A. Graham, and more than double that given Mr. Turner, we naturally ask why this increase in the Democratic vote? The reason is plain. The people have opened their eyes. The voters of the State were fooled and frightened by the misrepresentations of the Radicals before the late election. Now, since the assembling of the Convention, they see it all and are anxious to make amends for their folly. We wish that the question could be submitted to the people of North Carolina now for we feel sure that Convention would carry the State by twenty thousand majority."

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Hon. W. A. Graham of North Carolina—A Scene in the Senate Chamber.

We find the following interesting historical incident connected with North Carolina, which brings with it the scope men now to be found in the Capital building in the interest of their State, in a recent number of the *Macon (Ga.) Telegraph and Messenger*. The article was written by a gentleman a native of Raleigh, but who is at present living in Macon.

*Editors Telegraph and Messenger:* The death of the Hon. William A. Graham the announcement of which I read in this issue of the *Telegraph and Messenger*, recalls vividly to me the days of the "good old North State," that I once forgot, and in which Mr. Graham was quite a prominent actor. I was a boy then, but through the many years that have gone by I have cherished the recollection of the scene I am about to describe. Mr. Graham, I believe, was the last actor in it, and the last to leave the river.

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### NOON DISPATCHES.

**Terrible Destruction from Floods.**  
NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 22.—The surgeon of the steamship Austrian, ashore off San Barnardino, reports every house at San Barnardino washed away. The people except five, took refuge on the steamer and was saved. New houses standing on Buffalo bayou. Two houses left in Matagorda. The town of Cedar Lake is washed away and all lost.

**General Telegraphic Items.**  
WASHINGTON, Sept. 22.—The Attorney General has a conference with the Attorney General regarding the affairs in Louisiana and Mississippi. Kellogg has proposed a course which the Attorney General thinks will be effective to Ames and will have a good effect. Kellogg stated that the political affairs in Louisiana were remarkably quiet; no indications of a renewal of the disturbances which some time ago characterized that State.

The Attorney General has telegrams from persons of both political parties in Mississippi commanding him to do his duty.

While the internal revenue receipts this month are satisfactory to the Treasury Department, those from customs are less than those for the corresponding month last year.

There now remain only twenty-eight million of the new five percent bonds for negotiation. No further call for the redemption of the old bonds will be made until demand by subscriptions to the new.

**THE BALTIMORE SUGAR TRADE.**—*The Baltimore Sun* says:

One of the temporary disadvantages Baltimore is already beginning to experience from complications in its sugar market is in having

refineries that were brought here for boiling, now sold to refiners in other cities. Much of the raw sugar here and cargoes to arrive are sold to cash purchasers, and as only one Baltimore refinery is buying, purchasers are sought elsewhere.

On Tuesday two cargoes were sold to Philadelphia, and other sales have been made in this past week at other points. Alexander Brown & Son, Fisher Bros. & Co., agents to sell their large stock of sugars at market rates, which is being done.

Until the affairs of the Baltimore refineries are settled and operations are resumed anew, the sugar importing trade of the port will be restricted.

**MIDNIGHT DISPATCHES.**  
**GENERAL ITEMS.**

**The Massachusetts Democratic State Convention—Republican Nominations in Maryland—A Pedlar Murdered—General Affairs in New York—The Liberal Republicans of New York.**

WORCESTER, MASS., Sept. 22.—The Democratic State Convention met today. Edward Avery, permanent chairman, in the course of his address, said the varied amounts of the annual contributions of the South did longer distract the attention of the people from the incapacity, mismanagement and corruption of those in power. Men began to discover that the blood is artificial, and the agony manufactured, and are ready to administer the affairs of government like their own private affairs.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 22.—The adjourned meeting of the Republican State Convention assembled here. The Committee of Conference, consisting of the representatives of this Convention and two reform wings, agreed upon the following candidates: Governor, Morrison Harris; Attorney General, S. Teakle Wallace; Comptroller, Ed. Wilkins. The Convention confirmed the nominations. Four counties were unrepresented. The resolutions declare against further expansion.

NEW YORK, Sept. 22.—Four negroes have been arrested, charged with murdering a pedlar at West Farms. The goods were found in their possession.

Prof. James Garland may recover.

In the interest of the serial ladder deaths the chief engineer attributed the break to an extended leverage and too many men ascended. He considered it safer, but more than one man cannot ascend the top section safely.

Five hundred dollars reward offered for the child Joseph Sullivan, whose disappearance was reported a week ago.

A suit commenced in the United States Court against R. S. Allen, clothier, who is charged with receiving \$12,000 for marlin clothes which he never furnished.

ALBANY, Sept. 22.—The Liberal State Convention, having three hundred delegates, General John Churchill is permanent chairman. Resolutions have been offered and referred, endorsing Tilden's reform measures and recommending the party to vote for persons who are personally and politically in sympathy with him and the reform measures which he inaugurated, and hereby recommend liberal republicans to vote with the democratic ticket.

### MISCELLANEOUS.

#### G E O . W . K I N G ,

#### Retail Liquor Dealer,

#### WILMINGTON STREET,

next door to Tucker's new building, keeps constantly on hand the best brands of

Liquor, Cigars, Beers, &c.

#### BEER AT 5 CENTS PER GLASS.

The "Old Nick William" brand of Whiskey is special.

None but the BEST LIQUORS will be kept, and my friends and the public generally invited to give me their verdict.

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There is nothing to compare with it.—"Southern Almanac."

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Merchants in our section will do well to send their orders for it to the trade.

A. G. LEE & CO., Agents, Raleigh, N. C.

#### T R E B O R O S U T H E R N E R —

Williamson & Charles, editors. Weekly at \$2 per annum.

THE WILMINGTON STAR.—Williamson & Charles, editors. W. H. BRENNAN, and C. G. COOPER, Jr., editors. The Star is now in its seventh and eighth years and ranks among the most able and reliable journals in the State. The "Star" is especially distinct in the extent and accuracy of its commercial information, which is conducted with much literary taste and judgment. Its rates are, for one year, \$7; for Daily, \$1; monthly, \$4; three months, \$2.25.

A. W. BRENNAN (Ireland) dispatch says the Pastoral of the Bishops intimates an intention to establish a Catholic training school for masters, under the care of the Vincentian fathers. They say the primary system of education is more than undisturbed.

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